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Lars R. Stromme et al.

Serial No.: 09/541,170

Filed: April 3, 2000

Title: "Method and Apparatus For
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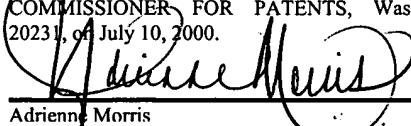
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Error	Correct Data
Addressee	John C. Gatz, not John C. Getz
Applicant(s)	Applicants filed with application a Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d)(2) amending Inventorship (additional copy attached hereto). Therefore, Matthew L. Anderson, Robert J. Klein and Heinz W. Schreiter should be deleted as inventors in this application.

The corrections are not due to any error by Applicants, as can be seen from the enclosed application transmittal. Accordingly, no fee is due.

Respectfully submitted,

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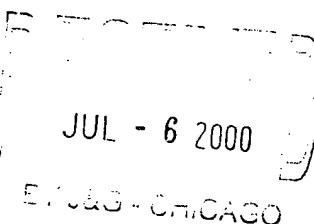


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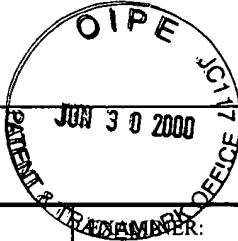
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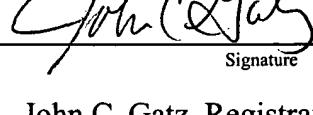
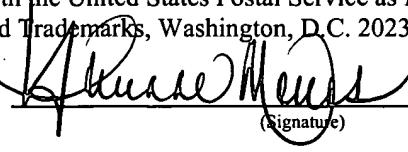
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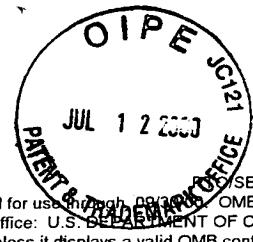
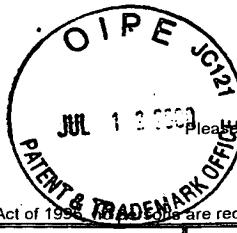
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INVENTION: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DOCUMENT PROCESSING							
INVENTOR(S): LARS R. STROMME, ET AL.							
TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.							
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37 CFR §1.63(d)(2) STATEMENT

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The Applicants respectfully request the deletion of the following individuals from the continuation application: Matthew L. Anderson, Robert J. Klein and Heinz W. Schreiter. The remaining six individuals are the inventors of the invention claimed herein. The Applicants have attached the original Declaration from Serial No. 08/864,423 as **Exhibit 1**.

The Applicants do not believe there are any fees associated with this Statement. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 10-0447 (Order No. 47171-00267) for any additional fees that may be required, except for the issue fee.

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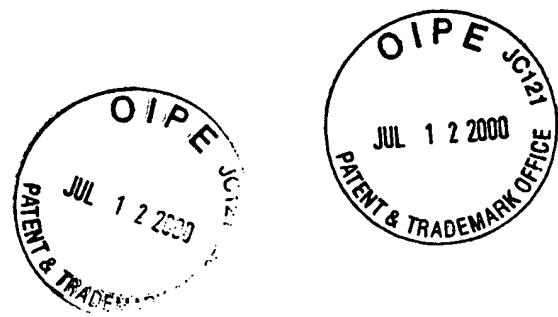
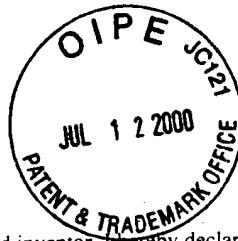


EXHIBIT 1



DECLARATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

The below named inventors are the original, first and joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DOCUMENT PROCESSING, the specification of which:

— is attached hereto.

x was filed on May 28, 1997 as Application Serial No. 08/864,423.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

**PRIOR FOREIGN/PCT APPLICATION(S) FILED WITHIN 12 MONTHS
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I hereby foreign/pct priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign/pct application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

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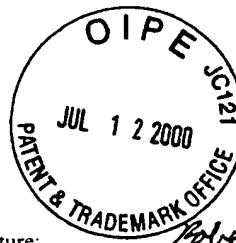
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**CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. APPLICATIONS(S)
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a), regarding events which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

<u>08/800,053</u> (Application Serial No.)	<u>February 14, 1997</u> (Filing Date)	<u>Pending</u> (Status)
<u>08/573,392</u> (Application Serial No.)	<u>December 15, 1995</u> (Filing Date)	<u>Pending</u> (Status)

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